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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 44th Saturday in 1909 (*30th October* 1909).

	District and Station.	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday. This week.		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week.		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1909. This year.		Average of past ten years.		Excess (+) or defect(—) of column 4 compared with column 5.		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains.			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	I.	c.	c.	I.	c.		This week. Seers.	Past week. Seers.	Past ten years fortnightly average. Seers.
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	,, City & Taluk	...	...	...	20	36	77	32	66	+ 4	11				
	Hoskote	...	...	...	39	37	70	29	63	+ 8	7				
	Dodballapur	...	...	...	30	38	2	28	64	+ 9	38				
	Nelamangala	...	...	...	75	38	59	27	4	+11	55	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·63
	Kankanhalli	...	...	...	50	40	44	27	38	+13	6				
	Magadi	...	...	.	43	33	75	30	52	+ 3	23	Ragi	11·25	11·00	20·40
	Channapatna	...	60	...	40	39	85	29	60	+10	25	Kulthi	7·75	8·00	...
	Anekal	...	...	...	64	46	48	31	76	+14	72	Kadale	8·00	8·00	10·45
	Devanhalli	...	...	...	42	31	36	28	66	+ 2	70				
	Closepet	...	...	...	49	37	49	30	94	+ 6	55				
	District average	...	6	...	45	38	4	29	68	+ 8	36				
KOLAR.	Kolar	...	...	1	9	29	95	22	20	+ 7	75				
	Bowringpet	...	...	1	10	34	35	23	51	+10	85				
	Chintamani	...	...	1	38	24	61	21	96	+ 2	65	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	9·08
	Mulbagal	...	...	1	40	26	85	26	73	+ 0	12				
	Sidlaghatta	...	...	1	21	28	26	26	45	+ 1	81	Ragi	10·50	11·00	20·65
	Chikballapur	...	...	1	47	25	40	30	10	— 4	70	Kulthi	8·00	7·50	...
	Bagepalli	...	...	...	82	24	68	20	74	+ 3	94	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·65
	Goribidnur	...	...	...	74	34	67	24	77	+ 9	90				
	Malur	...	...	1	...	30	53	26	18	+ 4	35				
	Srinivaspur	...	...	...	96	28	51	24	21	+ 4	30				
	Gudibanda	...	...	1	33	31	42	19	23	+12	19				
	District average	...	...	1	14	29	2	24	19	+ 4	33				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	...	...	...	91	33	8	33	6	+ 0	2				
	Maddagiri	...	...	...	76	33	29	23	59	+ 9	70				
	Chiknayakanhalli	...	...	1	34	32	30	23	47	+ 8	83	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·30
	Sira	...	...	...	65	23	95	20	78	+ 3	17				
	Gubbi	...	...	...	82	33	41	25	68	+ 7	73	Ragi	13·00	13·00	23·90
	Tiptur	...	...	..	76	21	14	22	31	— 1	17	Kulthi	7·00	7·00	...
	Pavagada	...	...	...	54	20	74	18	34	+ 2	40	Kadale	7·00	7·00	9·25
	Kunigal	...	...	..	73	34	99	27	65	+ 7	34				
	Koratagere	...	...	...	64	27	93	22	49	+ 5	44				
	Turuvekere	...	...	...	96	30	96	24	66	+ 6	30				
	District average	...	...	...	81	29	18	24	20	+ 4	98				

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1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.				
MYSORE.												Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
Mysore	...	...	1	23	29	85	23	94	+ 5	91				
Chamrajnagar	...	...	1	..	29	75	25	56	+ 4	19				
Seringapatam	...	...	1	31	33	75	23	45	+10	30	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·75
Hunsur	...	...	1	45	34	69	27	62	+ 7	7				
Yedatore	...	...	1	13	27	53	22	60	+ 4	93	Ragi	12·00	12·00	19·95
Heggaddevankote	...	...	1	61	44	43	33	30	+11	13	Kulthi	7·75	7·75	...
Gundlupet	...	...	..	97	28	...	21	22	+ 6	78	Kadale	7·50	7·50	10·07
Nanjangud	...	...	...	50	9	85	23	41	+ 6	44				
T.-Narsipur	...	...	...	7	29	16	23	99	+ 5	17				
Malvalli	...	...	.	81	40	43	25	49	+1	94				
Mandya	...	...	1	6	46	45	23	86	+22	59				
Krishnarajpete	...	...	1	25	29	16	25	72	+ 3	44				
Nagamangala	...	...	..	82	32	89	22	91	+ 9	98				
District average...	...	...	1	7	33	53	24	85	+ 8	68				
HASSAN.														
Hassan	...	...	...	92	35	50	30	77	+ 4	73				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	..	...	...	98	91	11	83	3	+ 8	8	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	10·10
Arkalgud	...	...	...	68	32	94	32	25	+ 0	69				
Belur	...	..	...	8	41	49	36	17	+ 5	32	Ragi	12·00	13·00	22·83
Channarayapatna	...	..	...	57	30	50	21	44	+ 9	6	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	...
Arsikere	...	..	...	71	30	83	22	95	+ 7	88	Kadale	6·00	7·00	9·65
Hole-Narsipur	...	...	...	66	23	43	24	92	− 1	44				
Alur	...	...	...	75	47	23	40	30	+ 6	93				
District average...	...	...	...	79	41	63	36	48	+ 5	15				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga	...	...	...	43	34	61	32	94	+ 1	67				
Channagiri	...	...	..	36	26	5	25	72	+ 0	33	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·50	8·50	11·59
Honnali	...	..	...	34	14	50	20	11	− 5	61				
Shikarpur	...	...	...	76	35	13	34	42	+ 0	71	Ragi	13·00	13·00	25·54
Sorab	...	...	...	60	65	82	54	26	+11	56	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	...
Sagar	...	...	...	47	79	18	76	79	+ 2	39				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)	...	...	...	41	103	11	99	45	+ 3	66				
Tirthahalli	...	...	...	98	123	54	117	68	+ 5	86				
Kumsi	...	...	...	45	43	5	38	67	+ 4	38				
District average...	...	...	...	53	58	33	55	56	+ 2	77				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur	...	...	1	11	40	44	30	20	+10	24				
Kadur	...	...	1	1	2	69	18	53	+ 4	16	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	9·95
Tarikere	...	...	...	58	32	94	32	61	+ 0	33				
Koppa	...	...	1	9	114	98	117	2	− 2	4	Ragi	12·50	12·00	21·65
Mudgere	...	...	...	85	102	67	88	45	+14	22	Kulthi	7·50	7·50	...
Yedahalli	...	...	...	83	78	83	64	52	+14	31	Kadale	7·50	7·50	8·80
Sringeri	...	...	1	45	128	46	143	75	−15	29				
District average...	...	...	..	99	74	43	70	72	+ 3	71				
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug	..	...	...	24	23	71	21	3	+ 2	68				
Challakere	...	...	...	39	16	13	15	...	+ 1	13	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·25	10·55
Hiriyur	...	...	...	61	23	30	17	3	+ 6	27				
Holalkere	...	...	...	23	30	15	21	10	+ 9	5	Ragi	15·00	15·00	24·30
Davangere	...	...	...	14	23	91	22	55	+ 1	36	Kulthi	8·00	7·00	...
Molakalmuru	...	...	...	65	21	68	21	40	+ 0	28	Cholum	15·00	15·00	22·70
Jagalur	...	...	...	20	20	30	19	74	+ 0	56	Kadale	8·00	8·00	10·00
Hosdurga	...	...	...	51	23	3	18	45	+ 4	58				
Harihar	...	...	...	24	17	53	19	57	− 2	4				
District average	...	...	...	36	22	19	19	54	+ 2	65				
Provincial average	...	...	...	77	40	79	35	65	+ 5	14				

Note—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·1	6¾ to 7	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	16·7	11 to 11½	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, is sold at 7¾ seers per rupee.

Agricultural operations.—Weeding in paddy fields.

State of standing crops is fair. But want of rain is very much felt. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market generally well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing of wet lands is going on in the taluks of Dodballapur, Anekal and Devanhalli.

State of standing crops.—Good, but late sown ragi crop requires one or two showers of rain.

10. Prospects of season fair. Number of people under relief—47 in the Dodballapur Taluk. Food stuffs sufficiently available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Anekal, Hoskote and Kankanhalli Taluks, and cold, fever and cough in the Magadi Taluk, public health generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water, green pasture and fodder are sufficiently available.

KOLAR

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing in the Kolar, Bowringpet and Mulbagal Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; sowing in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Goribidnur Taluks and weeding in the Malur Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, mulberry, samé, avare, togari, and horse gram are in good condition, but the dry crops require rain very badly.

Crops sown.—Horse gram in the Kolar and Bowringpet Taluks; Vaisaki paddy in the Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Goribidnur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and huchellu in the Bowringpet Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—

Paddy in the Kolar Taluk ...	...	Yield from 8 to 12 annas.
Do Bowringpet Taluk ...	...	Yield 12 annas.
Do Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Srinivaspur Taluks ...	...	Yield from 8 to 12 annas.
Do Gudibanda Sub-Taluk	...	Yield 14 annas.
Samé in the Bowringpet Taluk ...	...	Yield 12 annas.
Do Chintamani Taluk ...	...	Yield from 8 to 12 annas.
Do Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks ...		Do 4 to 8 annas.
Do Srinivaspur Taluk ...	...	Do 8 to 12 annas.